THE REASONS OF THE House of Commons TO Stay the QUEENES going into *Holland*: Delivered to the Lords, at a Conference the 14. of *July*.

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Delivered the 15. to his Majesty, in presence of both Houses, by my Lord *Bankes*.

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The Reasons of the House OF COMMONS,

To stay the QUEENS going into HOLLAND.

THere is great cause to doubt, lest the Papists have some designe upon her Majesties Journey, because the House hath been informed, that divers of them have sold off their Lands to a good value, and used other means to get ready money. 2. It is observed some of them have been very diligent, gathering great quantities of gold. 3. It is informed that more then an ordinary number of Papists are gone beyond Sea already, and those of the better sort.

II.

The great number of *English* fugitives now beyond the Seas, who by their late deſignes and practiſes, are known to be full of malice to the State, and will no doubt ſeek all opportunities of acceſſe to her Majeſty; and as much as they can labour to infuſe into her ſuch evill Councels, as may trouble the peace of the Kingdome; whereof at this time there is more danger, becauſe the affairs of the Kingdome are not yet fully ſettled, and upon diſbanding of the Army, all parts are like to abound with Souldiers, and ſuch others as will be apt to be provoked to tumults, and ſeditions; eſpecially in the time of the Kings abſence in *Scotland*.

III.

That the Houſe of Commons have received information of great quantity of Treaſure in Jewels, Plate, and ready Money, packt up to be conveyed away with the Queen, not onely in ſuch a proportion, as the preſent occaſions with due reſpect to her Majeſties honour, may ſeeme to require but a farre greater quantity, and that divers Papiſts and others, under pretence of her Majeſties goods, are like to convey great ſummes of money, and other Treaſure beyond the Seas,

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which will not onely impoverish the State, but may be imployed to the fomenting some mischievous attempts, to the trouble of the publike Peace.

IV.

That as it will be a great dishonour to the State, if her Majesty should not be attended and furnished suitably to her quality, so it will be a very heavy burden in this time of great necessity, and occasions of other publike charges, if she shall be provided in so Royall a manner, as shall be fit for her Majesty, and the honour of the King and Kingdome.

V.

That because we understand by Sir *Theodore Mayerne*, that the chief cause of her Majesties sickness, and distempers, proceed from some discontent of her minde, the House of Commons have thought good to declare, that if any thing within the power of Parliament may give her Majesty contentment, they are so tender of her health, both in due respect to his most Excellent Majesty, and her self, that they will be ready to further her satisfaction in all things, so farre as may stand with that publike, to which they are obliged.

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That the Commons conceive it will be some dishonour to this Nation if her Majesty should at this unseasonable time go out of the Kingdome, upon any grief or discontent received here, and therefore we shall labour by all good means to take away, and prevent all just occasions of her Majesties trouble, in such manner, as may further her content, and therein her health, which will a be a very great comfort, and joy to our selves, and the rest of His Majesties loving Subjects.

FINIS.